

As a TAXPAYER in the South West P. B. County Hospital District —

Do You Want...

A Joint Hospital Costing You...

(as your share)

	Total Cost	1st Year Debt Principal & Int.	Annual Millage
67 Beds --	\$874,350	\$68,491	2.283
75 Beds --	\$827,600	\$64,825	2.16
110 Beds --	\$962,600	\$75,404	2.513

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Mayor Racey Parrish—

'Interests Best Served By Own Large Hospital'

Without any inclination to intrude on the prerogatives of an appointed board, but with a keen interest in the welfare of the citizens of this community, I would like to make the following statement concerning the Belle Glade Hospital.

It is evident from reports of the number of patients in hospital during the past season, coupled with the rate of growth which we all believe will equal predictions, that the Southwestern area alone needs a hospital as big as the one proposed as a joint hospital.

If this is true, then a new hospital of the proper size for this community will include all the advantages of the proposed joint building. It will not be necessary, in that case for taxpayers of this district to pay two thirds of the cost of the present Pahokee building, not the same percentage for purchasing land, filling it in and providing sewerage and water.

With the information I am able to get, it is my sincere belief that the interests of the Southwestern area will be served best by going ahead with our own hospital.

We do not know of any community antagonism in this hospital question; only few obstinate board members — from the SW District who fail to give the public any information other than that taxpayers must pay for whatever they alone decide to do.

Kidder Attends Research Meeting On Beef Cattle
R. W. Kidder attended on June 24-27 the annual meeting of the personnel engaged in research on Beef Cattle Improvement Through Breeding in the Southern Region. The 1962 meeting was conducted in Alabama with observations of the beef cattle at the Black Belt Station at Selma, Ala., and at Auburn University. Fourteen southern states were represented along with those from the Federal Experiment Stations at Jeanette, La. Front Royal, Va., Brooksville, Fla., and Tifton, Ga. Cooperative Regional Research which as this keeps working are currently informed of progress at each state experiment station, helps avoid duplication of programs and assist progress through association of workers and exchange of ideas. Others attending from Florida were Marvin Grogg, Gainesville, W. C. Burns, Brooksville and P. M. Peacock, Opa.

City Has Building Boom

According to figures released, the City of Belle Glade has enjoyed its greatest building boom during the first six months of this fiscal year, with a total of \$1,553,998 in building permits.

The same period last year netted \$685,500 in permits. During June of this year the total permits were \$255,973.

Among the items listed are 9 new dwellings for a total of \$114,113, combination apartment buildings, 1, \$86,000, business \$58,490, R. V. units \$27,000 and additions and repairs \$14,440.

The first permit for a Fall-Out Shelter has been issued to S. B. Sheller for \$2,000 cost.

Weather Report

Temperatures and rainfall as recorded at Riverglades Experiment Station, week ending July 1

	High	Low	Rainfall
June 23	82	69	0
June 24	85	71	0.80
June 25	91	73	0
June 26	91	73	0
June 27	88	69	0.28
June 28	88	67	0.05
June 29	89	68	0.37

Lee Cranford Joins Ev. Federal Staff

Lee Cranford has taken over his duties of Loan Service Officer on July 1, at Everglades Savings and Loan Association. Formerly with the GAC Finance Co. here as manager, he came from Miami in 1958. He has been with the company for seven years and was assistant manager in Georgia and in West Palm Beach.

Mr. Cranford was born and reared in Okeechobee. He is married and has two children, Perry, 8 and one-half years and Ewe Marie, 3 months. He is a member of Rotary and Community Methodist Church and was head of the 1962 Cancer Drive in Belle Glade and area. The Cranfords have just returned from a vacation trip to Albany and Columbus, Ga., for two weeks.

Qualification Date July 13-August 31
2 Commission Seats
City Clerk Vera Jones announces that qualification for filling two vacancies — Commissioners Evans and January — are July to August 31. No announcement has been made by either concerning qualifying for the jobs.

Hechler Successful In Va. Highway Bid

A. H. Hechler, who owns and operates more than a thousand acres of muck land near Belle Glade, and who has a home here, has received notice that he and his firm are low bidders on a main road near his Virginia home at Highland Springs.

Mr. Hechler says that this job of \$1,289,000 will not prevent his frequent return trips to the Glades to look after his operations of sugarcane and cattle here. This is one of the very few road jobs he has constructed near his home town, although road building has been a major venture in his business set-up for years.

'Bama' Mathis Opens Business In Electronics

D. B. "Bama" Mathis for twenty-five years has been Service Manager for Boe's with time off as instructor in the Signal Corps as Radio Technician. Mr. Mathis has recently completed a course for color TV and is installing equipment to service it in his own business at 116-A S. W. Ave. B in Belle Glade. The new shop will offer service in radio and electronic operations, and is installing equipment to service and repair this type of appliances. The new shop is expected to be ready for opening around the 15th of July.

Our Board Says—

'New Hospital A Must'

In a statement of policy released today, the Southwestern Palm Beach County Hospital Board announced its intention to give careful consideration and study to a new hospital facility for Belle Glade in addition to its previously stated decision to investigate the feasibility of the proposed joint hospital. The

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Roe Rives

Funeral services were held Sunday, June 22, at the Methodist Church, High Springs, for Mrs. Roe (Graham) Rives, who passed away June 21, at Everglades Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Rives, 82, had for the past two years made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Marie Rawls at 356 Cypress Avenue, Pahokee, coming from High Springs, Florida. She is survived by her son, N. R. Rives, Belle Glade, and another daughter, Ethel Dyal, Delray Beach. Fifteen grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. Interment was in Alachua, Florida, with Wetherington Funeral Home in charge.

Samuel Gambill Rites At 10 A. M.

Special event for this week will be a softball game with Canal Point at South Bay Park, Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. Monday afternoon Feb. 9, Belle Glade under the supervision of Coach Jim Maynor will come to South Bay for a softball game. Arts and Crafts under the supervision of Mrs. Lucille Ruder are making many pot holders, baskets, plaques of all types. This week Mrs. Ruder plans on letting the children make ashtrays out of seashells.

The swimming class has been working on breathing, prone float, elementary back stroke and the crawl.

Mr. H. A. Ouellette, playground supervisor will be at the park daily 9-12; 2-5 each day for the month of July. Miss Gilman will be working afternoons. She plans on using the shuffle board court and invites all to participate.

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Soft Ball Games Special Events At South Bay

The enrollment for the Summer Educational Enrichment Program is 112 at the South Bay City Park, a pretty good increase over last week.

Results of the doll show, the special event last week are: Phyllis Kelsoe, 1st place; Jayme Ouellette, 2nd place; Jill Bowen; 3rd place; Penny Waters; Cow Girl, Judy Ann Sullivan; Canequin Doll, Marion Sullivan, Animal Doll, Diane O'Quinn; teddy bear, Kim Warren; Large Pot, O'Neal, Smallest, Eugene Stokes; second place winners were Lynette O'Neal, John Ouellette, Karen Warren, Gwen Warren, Phyllis Kelsoe. Third Place winners: Wanese Stokes, Denise Ouellette, Barbara Warren.

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Field Events For Three Age Groups Set Friday In Recreation Program

A good crowd turned out for the obstacle bicycle races conducted as the special event in the Summer Educational Enrichment Program sponsored by the County Board of Instruction in cooperation with the city. Winners in the event were Herbie Giese first; Jerry Courson second; and Ronnie Cook and up. The events will be held on the boys were real good and made the race in record breaking time.

Jim Maynor, and Bill Hobson are in charge of the boys activities and Miss Janice Botto, who will be the new physical Ed teacher this year, is also in charge of girls sports activities, also Arts and Crafts.

In arts and crafts the classes which are from 9 to 10 a. m. and 10 to 11 a. m. have finished paper mache puppets and are working now on neckties and lanyards from plastic laid, also basket weaving.

Miss Botto said the enrollment is up to approximately 215 which is good, as many are on vacations and the weather for outside sports has been bad several days. During the quiet hour, many children engage in checkers and other games. Ping Pong and shuffle board is popular.

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Retiring President Bob Lanier hands to Louis Kirkman newly installed the gavel and bell, as the President's items of office.

President Kirkman announces Committee assignments to the four Major Committees as follows: Lee Cranford, Director "A", Bob Lanier, Director "B" and Fritz Stein as Director "C". With Bob Hooker as Director "D". Other officers taking office the last meeting in June are Bob Hooker, Vice President, Fred Stevens, Secretary and Harold Zumpf as Treasurer.

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These figures show that— You can get 8 more beds AT HOME (75) than you can get in the proposed Joint Hospital (67) for \$46,750 LESS money.

You can get 43 MORE beds AT HOME (110) for ONLY \$88,250 more and how to say it! — a combined hospital.

Paying for land, paying for running sewerage and water from either Pahokee or Belle Glade, paying for fill (How much was put into Rardin's Park?) and paying off the debt on the Pahokee building — 67% to Southwestern District — make SOME difference!

Where are the arguments for a combined hospital if we build a 110 bed facility?

These figures were not assembled by the aid of a paid architect, with a paid publicity man to tell the public what the architect finds out when a third paid expert — a hospital consultant — tells them both what to find out and how to say it!

With our own native intelligence — the Board's especially — there is, and has been, sufficient free information to have had figures eight months ago. What we apparently need is MORE THAN the 67 beds we will get in a combined hospital, and MORE BEDS than our own 75-bed hospital would give.

We suggest that 25 of the 75-bed unit AT HOME be private rooms; the size of private rooms allow two beds in an emergency. OUR hospital would undoubtedly receive more local patronage from PAYING GUESTS if private rooms were available.

The above information has been in our hands for months, but it was felt that it should come FROM THE BOARD. Since they don't have it assembled, here it is with the invitation to anyone, singly or in hundreds, with or without experts, to point out any fallacy of the figures or arguments.

Discussions in person or thru signed letters, in private or with bands are invited!

Palm Beach County Wins 7 Firsts In Agriculture Of The Nation

Three Florida counties, Polk, Brevard and Marion, won first place among all the counties in the nation in seven agricultural categories during 1959. The Florida State Chamber of Commerce said yesterday.

"The official tally on the 100 top counties in the nation, just released, ranked Polk County in four number one spots; value of fruits sold, number of orange trees and tons of oranges and of grapefruit produced. Palm Beach was first in sugarcane and sweet corn acreage harvested and Marion was tops in watermelon acreage.

All told, 47 Florida counties found a place among the top 100 in at least one of the more than 50 categories by which agricultural production was measured. Hillsborough showed up as the most versatile Florida county as it scored in 14 categories. Dade and Palm Beach ranked in 10; Marion and Orange in 6; Broward, Lake, Manatee, Polk and Seminole in 5 and Alachua, Hendry and Pasco in 5 categories. Unusual crops or those grown in only a few areas are not included.

"Ranking among the nation's best agricultural food producers were six counties in Florida. These, with their national ranks were: Polk 12; Orange 21; Lake 33; Palm Beach 42; Hillsborough 54 and Dade 72.

"Thirty Florida counties ranked in some phase of citrus production. Twenty scored in watermelon acreage; 16 in sales from nurseries and greenhouse products and 9 in total vegetable sales. A showing was also made in cattle, dairy products, chickens, eggs, peanuts, cabbage, tomatoes, pecans and strawberries."

NOTICE!

We are issuing the Herald Tuesday night in order to give our employees a Holiday

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CONTINUE TO PRAY

There are those who excuse and explain away the anti-prayer decision of the US Supreme Court as an historical basis in the age-old contest of church and state.

The decision, in view of that same body's fat-fetched reasoning based on books of non-legal minds in other cases, suggests that it is attempting to demonstrate that it DOES KNOW SOME LAW.

The decision, apparently is legal in saying that the government cannot "finance a religious exercise." The particular law involved provided specifically that "student should not be compelled to take part in the reciting, and that students could be excused from being in the room at the time."

What the Supreme Court has done is to lend its official standing and support to the atheistic campaign rampant throughout the world which is tearing down in the minds of most, the desirability of beginning the day with a plea to Deity for His blessings upon us, our parents, our teachers, and our country.

One justice in a "dictum" criticizes the US House and the US Senate, and even his own August body for opening the day's work with a prayer.

Custom makes law as well as written words, we've understood from legal minds.

We suggest the schools continue to pray and add "be merciful in Your judgment of the members of our Supreme Court."

How, "continue to pray?" Well, teach your children to suggest to other children in the classroom that "WE offer a prayer each morning, in unison, or by individuals."

Rogers Asks Answers to Questionnaire!

Each session of Congress our Representative in Congress asks his voters to aid him in making his decisions on important votes coming up.

The following are his questions for this session, and you are asked to tear the list from the paper indicate your preferences and forward to, him at the House Office Building, Washington:

- Questions: Yes No
1. Should the United States reduce foreign aid? () ()
 2. Do you favor the Rogers Bill to ban all trade with Castro's Cuba? () ()
 3. Do you favor a reduction of transportation taxes? () ()
 4. Do you favor U. S. purchase of U. N. Bonds? () ()
 5. Should a new Federal Department of Cabinet rank be created for Urban Affairs? () ()
 6. Do you approve an increased Social Security tax to provide medical care for the aged? () ()
 7. Do you favor Federal aid for:
(a) School construction? () ()
(b) Teacher's salaries? () ()
 8. Should the U. S. lower tariffs to compete in the European Common Market? () ()
 9. Do you favor my proposal for systematic annual reduction of the National Debt? () ()

Rogers Reports Hurricane Hunting Aided By Satellite, Radar & Radio

Congressman Paul Rogers has been assured by the U. S. Weather Bureau, and the Army Corps of Engineers, that both Federal agencies have taken all steps necessary to protect life and property in the event of a hurricane strike during the current season.

Rogers had requested the Weather Bureau and the Engineers to report to him on their preparedness.

"The Weather Bureau reported they will again have the support of the Weather Bureau reconnaissance squadrons of the Air Force and Navy, as well as ship and island stations and the meteorological satellite for early detection and tracking of storms Rogers said. 'The Bureau's coastal radar network which was completed last year, is in readiness and will be supplemented by military radar installations.'"

Congressman Rogers was particularly interested in the long range research being conducted about hurricane development and forecasting.

The Weather Bureau reported that the National Hurricane Research Project will continue its studies aimed at obtaining basic knowledge about hurricanes and improving forecasts and warnings. Four aircraft of the Research Flight Facility will be moved into the hurricane work in mid-August, following their work investigating severe storms in the Great Plains area.

"Data collected by these fully-instrumented aircraft will be processed by a new high-speed computer recently installed at the research project headquarters in Miami."

Congressman Rogers stated that he felt progress was being made toward better understanding hurricane characteristics through research, and that all Floridians will benefit from the improved forecasting and warning services.

How to Improve Your Luck—Develop your hunch of curiosity. Acquire a little streak of recklessness. Sharpen your imagination. Be willing and able to change your mind.

—Anonymous

UNCLE DAN from DOOLIE says:

Dear Mister Editor:

We been getting some mighty interesting items out of Washington here lately. For instance, I was reading a piece yesterday where the broom closets in the Pentagon Building is listed, "Public Building Service, Buildings Management Division, Utility Room, Custodial." If I'm not mistaken, I don't think it would make no more room. In a couple weeks they would start putting in more broom closets.

Then they was a little piece from Senator Young of Ohio advising farmers and ranchers to get their land into golf courses. He said they was a golf course at Blair, Nebraska, that had been renting 14 acres to a nearby farmer on account of them not needing it. Then last year they made the golf course bigger and had to take them 14 acres back. And all of a sudden the golf club gits a check for \$288 for taking land out of production that had been planted in corn. Senator Young claimed that if a feller had himself about 300 acres and would change over and list it a golf course, he could set on the front porch and rock with the grain and collect more'n \$6,000 a year.

But the most serious news I got out of Washington last week come in my weekly bulletin from the U. S. Department of Agriculture. You will recollect here a while back I told you about them scientists working to take the cackle out of the hen and the crow out of the rooster. I predicted at the time that this was going to be mighty upsetting to the hens. Well, this is to report that they has got this project well underway. My bulletin last week announced that for the first time in many years hens is laying less. It says the number of hens in 1961 was up 5 million, but the average number of eggs per hen was down about 1 per cent.

About the only news coming out of Washington last week that didn't upset me pretty bad was a statement by Senator Carl Curtis that, our national debt actual is a little over a trillion dollars. He give a long list of items to prove it. Billions or trillions, I couldn't care less. I won't be here to help pay it. But I wish you'd ask that school teacher that's so good in grammar and spelling how you write a trillion in figures. Ed Doolie and the fellers at the country store will want to know, as shure as shooting.

Yours truly,
Uncle Dan

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The Murder Trial of Judge Peel. On March 7, 1961, Joseph Peel went on trial for his life and suddenly Fort Pierce was on the front pages of newspapers all over the country. This is written by Jim Bishop, America's favorite reporter and best-selling author.

A Bridge For Passing. This autobiography by Pearl Buck has its setting in Japan. Soon after the loss of her husband she was assisting in the filming of her book "The Big Wave." She shares with you her struggles to adjust to a life alone. The memories of a happy life helped her to cross the bridge from sorrow to serenity.

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—Bettie Harris.

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South Bay Area News

BY ETTIE ALLEN — WY 6-4262

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MEMBERS OF THE FIRST PLACE TEAM — Doug's City Barber Shop Standing L-R: Fred Farmer, Benny Richmond, Willie Lee, Bottom Doug Mayo, Junior Meadows and Gene Enfinger. High set of 462 won by Benny Richmond and high game of 246. He was also the most improved bowler in the league and claimed high average for the season of 181.

Mix-Up League

Elliot McLean Team in first place with 16 points; Cochran Hill and Outlaws tied for 2nd place with 15 points; Kasy, 4 Angels and Herald-ers tied for third place with 14 points. W. O. Prescott rolled high game of 205 and high set of 551 for the men, Frank Cochran rolled 203-503; Fred Farmer 169-510. Betty Bryson rolled a 194-510. Lucy Cameron rolled 183-442 and L. Fessenden 169-437. Elliott McLean won high team set 1873 and high game 462. Martha Brane (sub) had a 201 game and 510 set.

Saturday Junior League

Hot Shots in first place with 11 and Thunderbirds, third with 9 points. Barry Carver rolled a 229-508 and Gail Parker 184-407. The Hot Shots won high team set, 1828 and the Thunderbirds high team game 647.

The Classic League

Three Aces in top place with 21 points; The Snow Men second, 20 and the Three Stooges third with 16. In individual play Willie Lee came in with high game 221 and second high set 536; Billy Hill rolled a 209 and 553 for high set; Mike Herring rolled a 208-524. Two Kids & A Goat won high game 565 and



the Snow Men high team set 1569.

Summer Sawgrass League
Richmond Plumbing won 2714 points for top place; Carter's Electric second with 19 and Bill Shell, third with 16 points. S. Dots won high team set 302-503; B. Richards 302-503. Richmond Plumbing rolled high set of 2053 and high game of 743.

The Summerettes League

The Roadrunners in first place winning 12 pts., The Young At Heart, tied The Four Witches for second place with 10 pts., and the Polka Dots came in third with 9 pts. The Polka Dots won high team set with 1633 and high game 590. The Young At Heart were second place winners with 1599 team set and 377 game. Lola Richmond rolled high game 185 and high set 472; Lucy Hicks rolled 181 second high game Dot Graber rolled a 177 for third high game and 447 set Dot Gummere had a 447 set.

Weekenders Bowling League

Team No. 5 is in top place winning 7 points; No. 6 in second place with 6 points and team No. 2 in third place with 5 pts. High team game and high team set was won by No. 2. In individual games R. Van Camp rolled a 199 and B. Richmond with high set 517. High games for the ladies were C. Combs with a 204 and M. Richmond with a 479 set.

Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Garcia and family have moved from Columbus, Ga., to South Bay and are living at The Sam Hendersons. Mrs. Garcia is a sister of Mrs. Sam Henderson and Mrs. H. H. Walker. Sgt. Garcia will tour Europe for two years before he retires from the U. S. Army.

Mrs. Adah Leathlean left Tuesday for a visit in Fort Myers. She makes her home with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Leathlean.

Mrs. A. R. Grigby of Orlando spent a week with her husband, A. R. Grigby in South Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hartline and son, Jerry, left Friday to spend a month with relatives at Cedar Bluff, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woodham and family have returned from a visit with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Woodham, Ozark, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Thompson, Midland City, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Walker and family and H. B. Walker spent Wednesday in Innisfree with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie O'Quinn. Roland Weaver is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital, West Palm Beach suffering from a leg injury.

H. H. Walker was dismissed Saturday from the Belle Glade Hospital after spending several days there under observation.

Mrs. Fredrick Smith was admitted Friday to Belle Glade Memorial Hospital for observation.

Alfred Lamoureux is convalescing at his home from a major operation at Belle Glade Memorial hospital last week.

Miss Ronnie Bowen of Delray Beach spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowen, Sr.

Mr. Bill Oswald of Zephyrhills visiting friends in Belle Glade, and was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Woodham on Sunday and on Tuesday visited the W. W. Jeffries.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bettys, Jr., was called to Sandersville, Ga., last week by the illness and death of Mrs. Getty's brother, J. W. Brown. Funeral services were Saturday at Mayo Funeral home in Sandersville.

John Evans and son, John Brown, have returned to their home in Bean City after

My Neighbors



"They're mighty glad to see me after I've been away a week."

spending two weeks at Fort Myers Beach.

Miss Clara Ann Eifers student of PBIC Lake Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eifers.

E. B. McAllister and son, Mark, left Friday to spend the summer months in Ashburn, Ga. with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Smith and family spent the weekend at Fort Myers Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Roberts and daughter have moved from Bean City to Belle Glade.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. White and family of Okeechobee spent one day last week in South Bay with relatives.

Miss Rebecca Woodham of Sanford spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Woodham.

Miss Marilyn Prevatt nurse at Lantana Hospital spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Prevatt of Bean City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Prevatt and family spent Saturday at Lantana Hospital with Mr. and Mrs. William Murray, Jr., and JaBee of Lantana. They enjoyed deep sea fishing Sunday afternoon.

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Ridge Parkway, thru the Smokey Mountains and visited friends at Black Mt., N. C. mooting some 2,000 miles.

Miss Ann Goodman of Columbus, Ga., is visiting her aunt, and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. McAllister are visiting relatives at Ashburn, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson and sons, Dennis and Jimmy are on a three weeks vacation in the Smokey Mts., at Greenville, S. C. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Carter at Pitts, Ga., her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McKinley at Cordele, Ga., and Mr. Jackson's mother, Mrs. M. J. Jackson.

Miss Karol Vadaz left Thursday for a vacation with Miss Mary Ellen Sneed at Peach Orchard, Ga.

Mr. Marvin Davis and Mrs. James Summerlin spent Monday in Miami on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Collinsworth have as their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lowery of Miami and Mrs. Vera Lowery of Dade City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sullivan Bill Caruthers of Jefferson, Ga., and Tommy Caruthers of Cleveland spent Tuesday at Salerno deep sea fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan will leave Thursday for Jefferson, Ga., where they will spend the summer with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crow and family of Miami Springs, visited her mother, Mrs. Magdood and also his aunt and family Mr. and Mrs. Meade Willis both of South Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen, South Bay and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allen and Stanley of Belle Glade were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Murray, Jr., and JaBee of Lantana. They enjoyed deep sea fishing Sunday afternoon.

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Kissimmee River Contracts Active!

Nearly \$2 million in construction contracts was awarded by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers in Jacksonville recently.

A \$1,109,790 contract, the

largest of the three, was awarded to Gregg, Gibson and Gregg, Inc., of Leesburg, Fla., for construction of the second of six locks and dams on the Kissimmee River.

The lock will be located about 15 miles northwest of the town of Okeechobee.

Work has already been started on dredging a 9.5-mile reach of the Kissimmee River from its mouth at Lake Okeechobee northward to the first lock and dam, which was put under contract earlier. The shallow waterway is to be dredged to a depth of about 30 feet to serve as a floodway channel for central Florida. When the entire floodway channel is completed, it will provide vastly improved drainage for a 758-square mile area.

PENDENT for over a year.

On March 27, one of Estes' lawyers told Bob Parker, FARM AND RANCH western editor, "We are going to sue you."

This was during a recess of a secret creditors' meeting in the First National Bank of Dallas. Two days later Estes was arrested by the FBI and the suit was apparently forgotten.

Publisher Anderson went on to declare that President Kennedy was incorrect when he said in a news conference that "The Billie Sol Estes case came to public attention when the government indicted him on April 5."

"The Estes case grew into a monster in full view of the Agriculture Department, and might never have been stopped had not some of the nation's free press turned it out for public inspection," Anderson said.

He went on to declare that corruption and "funny" deals appear to be rampant and a routine in Agricultural Stabilization and Control Offices across the country. One latest story FARM AND RANCH editors have uncovered reports on how ASCS committee members used position and influence to "steal" from government funds by jacking up their land retirement payments above those of neighbors with similar production histories. This case will be documented in the August issue of FARM AND RANCH.

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Free Press Points Up Estes Case

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"It can make you pretty nervous," said Tom Anderson, publisher of FARM AND RANCH, as he pointed up the Estes case as an example of the effectiveness of a free and courageous press in protecting constitutional liberties.

FARM AND RANCH published the first story on Estes on March 14, timed to coincide with local "breaking" of the story in the PEKOS INDEPENDENT. The magazine had been acting as repository for information on Estes gathered by the INDE-

Fla. Banks' Assets

5.8 Billions In '61

Deposits in the 322 commercial banks in Florida totaled \$5.3 billion on January 1 of this year, an 8 per cent gain over 1961 and 17 per cent up from 1959, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce said yesterday.

Florida banks paralleled the national increase in deposits over last year and out-paced a 14 per cent increase for the nation, 1959 to 1962.

"Since 1959, a net total of 42 new banks have been established in Florida, 13 of these during 1961. Nationally, there were 101 fewer banks operating in the 50 states due principally to consolidation.

"The total deposits in Florida banks (\$5,264,113,000) included \$4,111,024,000 made by individuals and businesses of all types. The latter figure represents a 7 per cent gain over 1961 and 15 per cent over 1959. Significant time deposits (savings of various types) made by individuals and businesses gained twice as fast as the deposits in regular checking accounts.

"All assets of Florida banks totaled \$5,792,271,000 as this year began, 8 per cent over 1961 and 18 per cent above 1959. Investments were up 11 per cent and 12 per cent respectively and the net loans and discounts total advanced 5 per cent and 24 per cent over the two periods."

Birthday And Farewell Party Given Vaters
Also Welcomed Mr. Walsh
A birthday and farewell party was given for Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vatter and family and also welcomed James Ed Walsh, manager of Grant's Store. The party was held in McDonald Park and was given prior to the Vatter's family leaving for West Hollywood, where they will make their home. Mr. Vatter is manager of Grant's Store at Ft. Lauderdale.

and Mrs. Leon Brady, Mrs. Hilda Bowden, Mrs. Shirley Gavilan and children, Mrs. Grace Johnson and children, Miss Doris Binkley, Miss Cathie White, Mrs. Connie Lewis and children.

A birthday cake with "Happy Birthday Mr. Vatter" was served and a gift was presented to Mr. Vatter from the employees

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Bill Abel And Bride Living In Belle Glade
Mr. and Mrs. William W. Abel, married June 8 at Murray, Ky., are making their home presently at 300 N. W. 14th St. Belle Glade. Mrs. Abel, the former Diana Cunningham, graduated from Murray State College on June 4, receiving her bachelor of Science degree.

Mr. Abel, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Abel of Belle Glade and a graduate of Belle Glade High School will receive his P. S. degree from Murray State in August, and will teach at Lake Worth Junior High School in the fall.

The couple will move to Lake Worth when school begins.

Local Girls Attending FSU Summer Art Camp
Miss Claudia Ludlow and Miss Linda Levine are attending two week Summer Art Camp at Florida State University, Tallahassee, which is limited to only 50 students in the state.

Miss Ludlow is a junior at Belle Glade High School and an outstanding art student. She was assistant art editor of the year book, the past year, and is taking the course to better her ability in art work at school. This is her second course at the art camp.

Miss Levine, a senior the past year at the local high school, also an outstanding art student, received an art award. She is planning to attend Palm Beach Junior College in the fall.

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Two From Glades Elected To Board Of Heart Assoc.

Heart Association of Palm Beach and Martin Counties announces new appointments: J. L. Grady, M. D., of Belle Glade and Mrs. Hugh Branch, of Pahokee, were elected to the board of directors of the Heart Association of Palm Beach and Martin Counties, at their annual membership meeting, held Thursday, June 21st, at the town House Hotel, West Palm Beach.

Mr. Carl A. Fischer of West Palm Beach was elected the new president succeeding Mr. Q. C. Vrooman, who was elected chairman of the board of directors.

Certificates of appreciation were presented to Dr. Grady and Mrs. Branch in recognition of distinguished service and leadership in the fight against the heart and blood vessel diseases.

Hospital Notes

Belle Glade Memorial Hospital June 19-25
Admitted: Allen Whitaker, Mrs. Barbara Taylor, Jackie Johnson, Mrs. Cora Dawson, Mrs. Estella Mayo, Mrs. Mary Sparks, Miss Jayme Ouellette, George Geraghty, Rudolph Dyer, Mrs. Helen Patten, Marie Battie, A. H. Walker, Manuel Cortez, Mrs. Frances Lawrence, Clarence Stanley, Mrs. Leona Dillow.

Remaining: Mrs. Leona Dillow, Clarence Stanley, Mrs. Frances Lawrence, Manuel Cortez, A. J. Walker, Mrs. Estella Mayo, Allen Whitaker.

Mrs. Joe Crouch returned home Friday after being a patient in Belle Glade Memorial Hospital for several days.

Mr. Ellick Shortney and Rhonda and Mrs. W. M. Haulcomb shopped in West Palm Beach Saturday.

Social Security Money Must Be Properly Spent

"Criminal violations of laws affecting social security payments can result in imprisonment and heavy fines," R. C. Gehlken, Jr., District Manager of the Social Security Administration in West Palm Beach warned today.

Gehlken called attention to the sentence imposed in Miami, Florida, last week on Mrs. Mary Smith Charbonneau, who had converted to her own use \$10,077.30 in monthly social security checks paid to her for the use and benefit of her three minor children. Mrs. Charbonneau was sentenced to serve three months in prison and fined \$40 per month as a condition of her probation.

Gehlken pointed out that social security benefits received by all persons on behalf of children or on behalf of adults incapable of managing the benefits themselves must, under the law, be expended for the use and benefit of such children or adults. He urged those having questions concerning the proper expenditure of benefits paid to them on behalf of others to contact the Social Security Administration District Office at West Palm Beach.

Fishing License Deadline June 30

Deadline for the 1962-63 fishing license was midnight 6:30 p.m. Fishermen are advised that Wildlife Officers have begun a strict fish-water wishing license check effective July 1.

Persons violating the provisions of the fishing license law may be fined not less than ten dollars, nor more than three hundred dollars, or imprisoned not to exceed ninety days.

Fishermen may obtain their 1962-63 fishing license at the offices of all County Judges and their authorized subagents throughout the state.

License fees are: Resident, annual, \$2.00. Non-resident, annual, \$3.00. Non-resident, 14-day continuous fishing, \$3.25. Non-resident, five-day continuous fishing, \$2.25.

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LAKE HARBOR NEWS

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Beach Saturday.
Mrs. L. C. McKinley is vacationing in Cordele, Ga., with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eldon of Miami visited his aunt, Mrs. K. B. Eldon Monday.

Mr. Jim Brannon and sons of Cleveland spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gerry.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Weaver and Susan returned home Friday after enjoying a three weeks camping trip. They visited points of interest in Arizona, Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico.

Mr. Mildred Larrick and Mrs. R. O. Plank returned home Friday after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson in Griggsville, Ill. Mrs. C. A. Thomas accompanied them on the trip and Enroute they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill McNeill in Carbondale, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeVane and children of Lakeland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ester.

Miss Janet Lee of Fort Lauderdale spent the weekend with her aunt Mrs. A. W. Waldron, Jr.

Mr. Ted Blauer of Ocala and Mrs. Leo Johnson who is spending the summer in Dunnellon were weekend guests of Mrs. John D. Hemphill and Miss Susan Hemphill.

Mr. C. A. Thomas, Nola and

Youth Conservation Encouraged By Camp

The leasing of two sections of land to the Youth Conservation Camp of South Florida, Inc. a non-profit group, was approved by the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission at Tallahassee, June 22.

The 99-year lease of 1,280 acres of land in the Hungryland Slough area of the Commission-owned J. W. Corbett Wildlife Management Area in Palm Beach County is for the purpose of constructing a Youth Conservation Camp.

Development of the camp is to be financed by public subscriptions and donations of material and labor. As presently visualized, the camp will have an estimated valuation of over \$100,000 when completed, according to construction plans advanced by the group.

Co-sponsoring the camp development in South Florida are the Florida Wildlife Federation, the Florida Outdoor Writers Association, circles of the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs and similar organizations, it was stated.

Purpose of the camp will be to train the youth of Florida in the wise conservation of natural resources, according to Al D. Aldrich, Commission director.

Molly traveled to Griggsville, Ill., to bring Mrs. Thomas home, she had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lee, Janie and Ronny left Thursday for a month's vacation in Tennessee.

Miss Margaret Ann Bailey of South Bay spent the week with her grandmother Mrs. H. D. Merriam.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Plank and Linda rode to Dunnellon Saturday to bring home Judy, who has been visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Plank. Linda remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas and Molly and Mrs. R. L. Saxon took Robin Thomas Sunday afternoon to Fort Lauderdale where she is staying with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Easton and attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gerry and Ronnie and Mrs. R. E. Eldon spent Saturday evening with the J. D. Stacy family in Bryant.

Local Girls Attend Summer Camp

Four girls, members of the Belle Glade High School Band are attending the five week Summer Music Camp at Florida State University Tallahassee.

Janet Holard, Lee Anne Berryhill, Susanne Wiereng and Terry McWhorter all came out good in their tryouts and acquired good seats in the band.

They are playing in a band of 180 pieces. There are two bands for 9-10 and 11-12 grades.

The camp includes taking music, band, piano, instrument and twirling. Janet Holard was picked to take the popular music course among 16 from 50 throughout the state.

This is the first year, Belle Glade band members have gone to the music camp and Mr. Fred Stevens, band leader hopes that this group will inspire others to attend next year.

In addition to music the girls are enjoying other recreations such as dances, shows, picnics on the lake and sports activities. The band also plays in a concert each Sunday afternoon.

Accompanying the girls in two cars were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hotard, Mrs. Lee Berryhill, Michael, Scotty and Steve. They all spent the weekend at Tallahassee and Mr. Berryhill, who was working in Madison, Ga., in the peach deal joined his family for the weekend. Mrs. James Wiereng drove Susanne up, and went on to visit her parents at Ochlocknee, Ga.

Was It A Woman? Or Just Saturday Nite?

The police were called on the night of May 29th and told there was a man bleeding and on the sidewalk in front of Malloy's Market.

Following a rush trip to the hospital by the police, with James Martin, whom they found, Sergeant Folds of the Detective Bureau traced blood stains about five blocks to the Busy Bee Cafe, but was not able to secure any testimony concerning the cutting.

Later, however, the police arrested Lee Hall who admitted participation after Martin, according to his story, jerked a woman friend from a table.

Martin has been too busy fighting off death, in shock and non-communicative to be of much help to the police. Police report the sheath knife used was driven to the hilt in the victim's abdomen and into his chest to penetrate his lungs.

Prisoners from the Belle Glade Jail furnished blood for transfusions.

Insurance Money Tree Brings On Confusion

Ed Mitchell ended up as a "guy" in the world of the City as a result of "illegal display of firearms," and on his first day with a work detail, which was clearing a small island near the Marina, asked permission for temporary absence which was granted, as there was no way to leave the island except by swimming or by boat.

Ed's temporary absence continued until next day, despite a hunt by the work detail. Prisoners recognized him passing them fleetingly the second morning, and a second futile search was made.

A couple of days later he appeared at the hospital badly battered by a tale of being "lured all round and burning."

It is still under arrest and being held under a federal warrant for "high links" somewhere else, though in the hospital.

Through one of a couple of interested attorneys he is suing the City and retired Postmaster George Farnall. An amended suit could include the Supreme Court, or the Attorney General. The confusion of the prisoner, according to best information obtainable, about the temporary leave permission and the burning, seems to have attached itself to his attorney.

A theory advanced is that Mitchell in wading canals and evading recapture, bedded away in a cane field which was burned, and there received the

NEGRO NEWS

Wedding Bells Ring For School Mates



Miss Lorraine Harold and Mr. Willie Charles McDonald repeated their marriage vows Sunday, June 24, at the home of Mrs. Rosa V. Calhoun, grandmother of the groom.

Miss Mattie Peterson, dressed in a beautiful pink gown, served as maid of honor and Richard Vickers was best man.

A reception and beach party followed the wedding.

In Service

Staff Sergeant Daniel F. Atkinson of Sylacauga, Ala., is being reassigned to Turner AFB, Ga., following his graduation from the United States Air Force course for dental laboratory technicians here.

Sergeant Atkinson received advanced training in the clinical phases of dentistry, dental administration, and supervision of Air Force dental clinics.

The sergeant, a former student at Sycamore (Ala.) High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Atkinson of 16 Washington St., Sylacauga. He and his wife, the former Cleo E. Taylor of Belle Glade, Fla., have one child.

Slices Exchanged In Dance Hall Skit

B. Brown was induced to allow Henry Howze the privilege of singing with his orchestra after the exchange of a \$5 bill, but when B. changed his mind and returned the money there was an argument about the exact amount returned.

Between words somebody pulled a knife and slices were exchanged between the two before the argument stopped.

Both are charged with disturbing a piece of the other's anatomy with orthodox equipment but in a manner calculated to be harmful.

Violating federal and local laws and attempting to "ride the insurance money tree" produce confusion and attempting memories, it seems.

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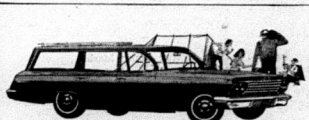
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